

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State youths who admirably demonstrate their true potential as lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders through the excellence of their achievements as students; and

Whereas, Kyria Gilliam of Centerview, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a junior in Britney Johnson's Language Arts III class at Crest Ridge High School; and

Whereas, Kyria Gilliam recently enhanced her already impressive record of achievement when she placed First in the 2007 West Central Electric Cooperative, Incorporated, Rural Electric Youth Tour competition; and

Whereas, Kyria Gilliam's winning essay, titled "The Cooperative Way", made her one of six finalists who participated in an oral competition on April 5, 2007, in which she won First Place; and

Whereas, Kyria Gilliam also was named as a delegate on the National Rural Electric Youth Tour to Washington, D.C., during the period June 8 through June 14, 2007; and

Whereas, Kyria Gilliam is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved child of Monta Miller and James Gilliam; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative activities in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri citizens as Kyria Gilliam at momentous times in their lives:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Kyria Gilliam as a First Place finisher in the Rural Electric Youth Tour competition and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for even more success as a delegate on the National Rural Electric Youth Tour to Washington, D.C.; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Kyria Gilliam of Centerview, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker